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# ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

## DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

### NEWS RELEASE



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#### **2017/18 SOUTHEAST ALASKA COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT**

Sitka. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the following information concerning the commercial harvest of sea cucumbers in Southeast Alaska during the 2017/18 season.

The following area will be open from **8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday, February 19, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 20, and from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 21:**

#### **District 13:**

Southern Sitka Sound (Subdistricts 113-38 and 41).

For a description of the above areas, please refer to the September 13, 2017, sea cucumber fishery news release announcing the open areas and their GHs. The next news release following this opening will be available on **Thursday, February 22, 2018.**

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1M1018.

News releases web site: <http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main>.

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